

From: Russell Melius
To: Russell Melius
Date: Sun, Feb 9, 2003 10:27 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Schurner
Senator Clinton
Representative King
Message text follows:

Russell Melius
18 Clearwater Ave
Massapequa, NY 11758

February 9, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

The Federal Communications Commission is considering taking actions that will restrict consumer choice by deregulating local phone service.

Millions of Americans like me could have their phone service threatened if the local phone companies aren't required to allow competitors access to the market. I'm also concerned about the Commission's move to relieve all broadband Internet access facilities of open access obligations.

Both of these key decisions will limit my choices as a consumer by lessening competition, diminishing cost savings and threatening consumer protections. As a constituent, I urge you to support competition and open access for local phone service.

Sincerely,

Russell C. Melius

From: Sammie Johnson
To: Sammie Johnson
Date: Mon, Feb 10, 2003 5:45 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Sarbanes
Senator Mikulski
Representative Wynn
Message text follows:

Sammie Johnson
6826 Walker Mill Road
Capitol Heights, MD 20743

February 10, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Sammie L. Johnson

From: Samuel starr
To: Samuel starr
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 2:12 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Biden
Senator Carper
Representative Castle
Message text follows:

Samuel starr
14 rising rd
newark, DE 19711

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Samuel h starr

From: Scott Russell
To: Scott Russell
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 7:48 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Feinstein
Senator Boxer
Representative Lee
Message text follows:

Scott Russell
535-41st Street #19
Oakland, CA 94609

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Scott A Russell

From: shayl kolesar
To: sharyl kolesar
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 5:42 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Durbin
Senator Fitzgerald
Representative Kirk
Message text follows:

sharyl kolesar
860 westbourne lane
buffalo grove, IL 60089

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

sharyl m. kolesar

From: Shawn Clancy
To: sclancy@businesslinkinc.com
Date: Wed, Feb 5, 2003 6:25 PM
Subject: UNE Platform

Please **see** attached letter expressing my concerns over any potential changes to the UNE Platform service offerings.

Thank you for your time and consideration

Shawn Clancy
Business Link Telemanagement, Inc.
310-998-5660 Office
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Dear (Commissioner, Representative, Senator):

I ask your support for the continued availability of the "WE-Platform."

My company, Business Link Telemanagement, Inc., offers local telephone service nationwide. The company has achieved increasing success largely because it utilizes the combination of "unbundled network elements" – the UNE-Platform - to serve customers. It is absolutely critical that we have continued access to the UNE-Platform to remain competitive.

Unfortunately, the Regional Bell Operating Companies have launched a full-scale attack on the UNE-Platform, realizing it is a major threat to their continued market dominance. Their strategy is to impose certain restrictions on individual network elements that would destroy the competitive value of the UNE-Platform. If the RBOCs succeed, it will all but end any chance for consumers to enjoy the benefits of meaningful competition in local phone service.

Please oppose any effort that will limit the availability of the UNE-Platform. The UNE-Platform should be firmly and permanently established as a viable service option for competitive telecom carriers.

Thank you very much for your time and attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Shawn Clancy
President
Business Link Telemanagement, Inc.

From: Shirley Wilson
To: Shirley Wilson
Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 10:46 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Feinstein
Senator Boxer
Representative Miller
Message text follows:

Shirley Wilson
2994 Gilma
Richmond, CA **94806**

February **7, 2003**

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

The Federal Communications Commission is considering taking actions that will restrict consumer choice by deregulating local phone service.

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Both of these key decisions will limit my choices as a consumer by lessening competition, diminishing cost savings and threatening consumer protections. As a constituent, I urge you to support competition and open access for local phone service.

Sincerely,

Shirley Wilson

From: Solomon Kofinas
To: Solomon Kofinas
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 7:56 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Schumer
Senator Clinton
Representative Velazquez
Message text follows:

Solomon Kofinas
80 Delancey St.
New York, NY 10002-3108

February 8, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Sol Kofinas

From: Sondra Godfrey
To: Sondra Godfrey
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 3:10 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Feinstein
Senator Boxer
Representative Doolittle
Message text follows:

Sondra Godfrey
12 Rim Street
Pollock Pines, CA 95726

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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I am a house-bound disabled woman earning less than \$6,000 a year through SSI. Using the internet is my means of keeping in touch with my family and friends without having long-distance telephone bills. It is my window to the outside world. So please, protect consumer choice, support retention of the UNE-P and require open access for cable broadband. Without it, it will be like I am imprisoned for being sick and disabled.

Thank You

Sincerely,

Sondra D. Godfrey

From: Stan Mitchell
To: Stan Mitchell
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 9:45 AM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Graham
Senator Nelson
Representative Shaw
Message text follows:

Stan Mitchell
725 Ibis Way
North Palm Beach, FL 334084705

February 8, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Stan Mitchell

From: stanley roth
To: stanley roth
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 4:18 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Levin
Senator Stabenow
Representative Hoekstra
Message text follows:

stanley roth
1429 port sheldon
jenison, MI 49428

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

The Federal Communications Commission is considering taking actions that will restrict consumer choice by deregulating **local** phone service.

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Sincerely,

stanley roth

From: Stanley Wasserstein
To: Stanley Wasserstein
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 12:11 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Graham
Senator Nelson
Representative Wexler

Message text follows:

Stanley Wasserstein
24370 NW 14 Street
Delray Beach, FL 33445-1335

February 6, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Stanley Wassentein

From: Stephanie Sullivan
To: Stephanie Sullivan
Date: Sun, Feb 9, 2003 7:42 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Levin
Senator Stabenow
Representative Kilpatrick
Message text follows:

Stephanie Sullivan
289 Beaupre Road
Grosse Pointe Farms, MI 48236

February 9, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Stephanie Sullivan

From: Stephen Spicer Jr.
To: Stephen Spicer Jr.
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 5:49 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Specter
Senator Santorum
Representative Greenwood
Message text follows:

Stephen Spicer Jr.
1724 McNelis Drive
Southampton, PA 189664051

February 8, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Stephen G. Spicer Jr.

From: Steve Ellenbecker
To: Christopher Libertain, Daniel Gonzalez, Commissionery, Kristin, jg, Haterkel, Kathleen Abernathy, Kevin Martin, Lisa Zaina, Matthew Brill, Michael Copps, Mike Powell
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 4:56 PM
Subject: Wyoming PSC Comments on Triennial Review issues

Please **see** the attached. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Steve Ellenbecker
Chairman, Wyoming Public Service Commission

Wyoming PSC Comments on the Triennial Review

Wyoming is one rural, geographically large, low population density state where it would make more sense to have the incumbents prove that access to UNEs is unimpaired rather than burden CLECs with a showing that there is impairment. Therefore we believe that a granular analysis will support a finding that competition is severely impaired without broad access to incumbent facilities via UNEs and UNE-P.

We have one of the highest percentages for competitive service provisioning via UNE-P. At this time, 98% of the CLEC customers in Wyoming are served through UNE-P. None of the major CLECs have yet chosen to place a switch in Wyoming. Through the recent section 271 proceeding in Wyoming and through a recent TELRIC pricing proceeding for Qwest in Wyoming, evidence was presented on how unique the telecommunications market in Wyoming really is. For rural states like Wyoming, the strong presumption logically should be that UNEs remain on the impairment list at this time. This issue is a good example of where any national pronouncements or standards cannot and should not apply. It is appropriate the burden at this time should be on taking UNEs off the impairment list, not in adding UNEs to the impairment list.

If the FCC shifts the burden to CLECs to make the showing that their competitive service offerings are burdened by lack of access to UNEs and UNE-P it is doubtful that existing CLECs will have the financial capability or interest to even pursue a proceeding in Wyoming. Wyoming is likely not a very high priority target for the investments required for facilities based competition, especially in the currently depressed telecomm market. This in spite of the fact that we may have one of the most competitive frameworks in place due to our **1995** Wyoming Telecommunications Act which has caused most cross subsidies between services to be removed for the vast majority of Wyoming markets.

The FCC should not preempt the states on these important issues. This is an area where strong support for a state role is warranted and necessary. A strong state role is not inconsistent with developing and maintaining facilities-based local competition. Finally, we support the NARUC principles presented to you today on this important decision.

From: Steve Granger
Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2003 2:54 PM
Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator DeWine
Senator Voinovich
Representative Brown
Message text follows:

Steve Granger
668 Hampton Ridge Dr.
Akron, OH 44313-5093

February 8, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

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Sincerely,

Steve G. Granger

From: Steve Nelson

Date: Fri, Feb 7, 2003 8:19 AM

Subject: Proposed FCC Changes Cost Consumers

Message sent to the following recipients:

Senator Miller

Senator Chambliss

Representative Linder

Message text follows:

Steve Nelson

161 Ponderosa Lane # 2057

Walesaka, GA 30183

February 7, 2003

[recipient address was inserted here]

[recipient name was inserted here],

The Federal Communications Commission is considering taking actions that will restrict consumer choice by deregulating local phone service. Don't allow this. I'm not aware of any deregulation that in the end run has helped the consumer.

I'm also concerned about the Commission's move to relieve all broadband Internet access facilities of open access obligations.

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I realize this is just a "canned" message but if I can take the time to amend the language and send it, I can take the time to monitor your position on these issues

Sincerely,

Steve Nelson

From: Steve Smith
Date: Wed, Feb 5, 2003 9:29 PM
Subject: UNEP

2/13/03

Dear Sir:

I ask your support for the continued availability of the "UNE-Platform."

My company, Optidial Communications, offers local telephone service in California. The company has achieved increasing success largely because it utilizes the combination of "unbundled network elements" the UNE-Platform- to serve customers. It is absolutely critical that we have continued access to the UNE-Platform to remain competitive.

Unfortunately, the Regional **Bell** Operating Companies have launched a full-scale attack on the UNE-Platform, realizing it is a major threat to their continued market dominance. Their strategy is to impose certain restrictions on individual network elements that would destroy the competitive value of the UNE-Platform. If the RBOCs succeed, it will all but end any chance for consumers to enjoy the benefits of meaningful competition in local phone service.

Please oppose any effort that will limit the availability of the UNE-Platform. The UNE-Platform should be firmly and permanently established as a viable service option for competitive telecom carriers.

Thank you very much for your time and attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Steve Smith

CEO

Optidial Communication Inc.

From: Steven Jones
Adelstein
Date: Thu, Feb 6, 2003 7:39 AM
Subject: UNE-P

Dear Commissioner:

I ask your support for the continued availability of the "UNE-Platform."

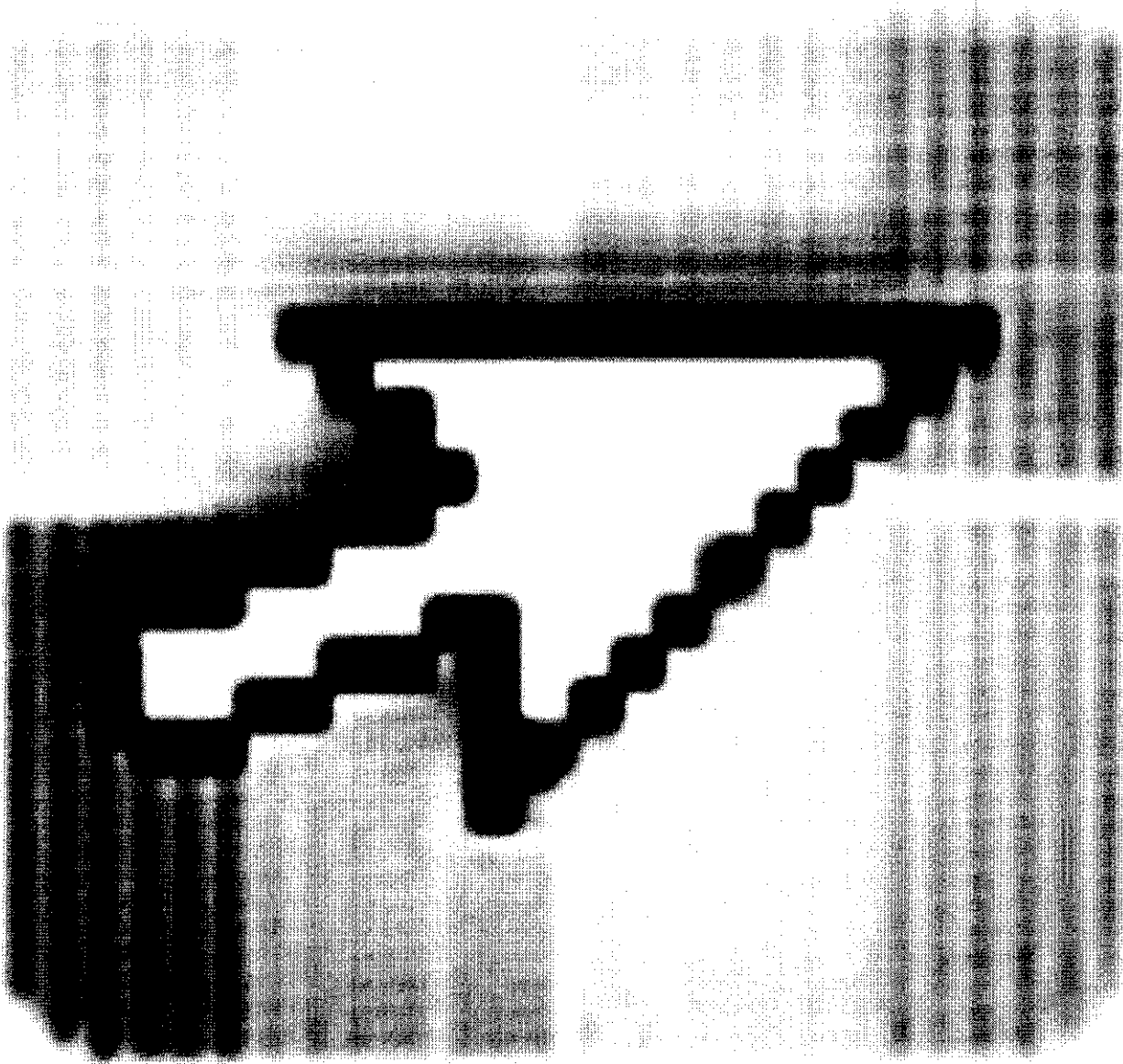
I am a consumer who uses local telephone service provided thru UNE-P.. The company has achieved increasing success largely because it utilizes the combination of "unbundled network elements" - the UNE-Platform - to serve customers. It is absolutely critical that competitive local carriers have continued access to the UNE-Platform to remain competitive, and benefit consumers.

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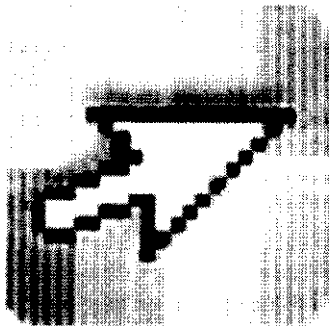
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Sincerely,



Steven Jones



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